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Black Rock Resource Company*Natural Resource Services*

P.O. Box 360, Cedarville, CA 96104

(530) 640-1451

October 19, 2012



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Eureka County Recorder
P.O. Box 556
Eureka, NV 89316

Dear Recorder:

Enclosed are the following documents:

- 1) A Notice of Intent to Hold for claims held by Almaden America Inc., in your County. This document has already been filed in Elko County where all but two claims lie exclusively.
- 2) A check to cover the filing fees

Please record these and return the originals to me at the above address. If you have any questions or if any issues arise with respect to these filings please call me.

Thank you,

Bill Price, PLS

Cc: Almaden America Inc

Enclosures

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ALMADEN MINERALS LTD

Elko County - NV

D. Mike Smales - Recorder

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and return to:
ALMADEN AMERICA INC.
c/o BRRC, P.O. Box 360
Cedarville, CA 96104



APN: Mining Claims

**AFFIDAVIT OF PAYMENT OF MAINTENANCE FEES
AND OF
INTENTION TO HOLD
MINING CLAIMS**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF MODOC)

The undersigned Affiant, being first duly sworn, under penalty of perjury, states as follows:

1. Affiant is the agent of ALMADEN AMERICA INC., the owner or claimant ("Owner") of the unpatented mining claims more particularly described in the list set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by this reference (the "Claims") and is duly authorized to execute this Affidavit.

2. The address of Owner is:
ALMADEN AMERICA INC.
145 Ryland St.
Reno, NV 89510

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3. The names of the Claims, the United States Bureau of Land Management ("BLM") Serial Numbers, are more particularly set forth in Exhibit A hereto.

4. Owner has paid to the BLM, on or before August 31, 2012, a maintenance fee in the amount of One Hundred Forty dollars (\$140.00) for each Claim, pursuant to Pub. L. 103-66, 107 Stat. 312, 10101-10106, August 10, 1993, as amended (the "Act"). Such payment was made to hold the Claims for the assessment year 2012 - 2013, as required by the Act. The maintenance fees are in lieu of the performance of annual assessment work and the





recording of an affidavit of labor under Section 314 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and 43 CFR 3833.2.

5. By such payment, by Owner's compliance with applicable federal and state law mining laws and regulations, and by this Affidavit, Owner hereby expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year 2012– 2013.

6. By this affidavit, Owner, in accordance with Nevada state law, also expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment 2011 – 2012. Owner further expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year 2012 – 2013.

7. Affiant executes this Affidavit on the 27th day of August, 2012.

ALMADEN AMERICA INC.

By: William F. Price

Print Name: William F. Price

Its: Agent

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF MODOC)

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Signed and sworn before me on this 9th day of August, 2012, by William F. Price, as agent of ALMADEN AMERICA INC.

Marguerite C. Duncan
Notary Public

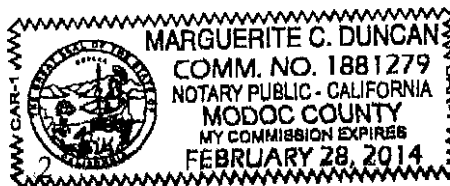




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<u>BLM Serial No</u>	<u>Claim Name/Number</u>	<u>Mc Lead Case Ser Nr</u>	<u>County</u>
NMC1027134	BP 1	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027135	BP 2	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027136	BP 3	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027137	BP 4	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027138	BP 5	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027139	BP 6	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027140	BP 7	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027141	BP 8	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027142	BP 9	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027143	BP 10	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027144	BP 11	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027145	BP 12	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027146	BP 13	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027147	BP 14	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027148	BP 15	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027149	BP 16	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027150	BP 17	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027151	BP 18	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027152	BP 19	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027153	BP 20	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027154	BP 21	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027155	BP 22	NMC1027134	ELKO
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NMC1027157	BP 24	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027158	BP 25	NMC1027134	ELKO
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NMC1027160	BP 27	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027161	BP 28	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027162	BP 29	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027163	BP 30	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027164	BP 31	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027165	BP 32	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027166	BP 37	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027167	BP 38	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027168	BP 39	NMC1027134	ELKO
NMC1027169	BP 40	NMC1027134	ELKO
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NMC1027173	BP 44	NMC1027134	ELKO
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NMC1030854	BP 34	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1030856	BP 36	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030857	BP 45	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030858	BP 46	NMC1030853	ELKO

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NMC1030859	BP 47	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030860	BP 48	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030861	BP 49	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030862	BP 50	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030863	BP 51	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030864	BP 52	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030865	BP 53	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030866	BP 54	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030867	BP 55	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030868	BP 56	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030869	BP 57	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030870	BP 58	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030871	BP 59	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030872	BP 60	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030873	BP 61	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030874	BP 62	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030875	BP 63	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030876	BP 64	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030877	BP 65	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030878	BP 66	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030879	BP 67	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030880	BP 68	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030881	BP 69	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030882	BP 70	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030883	BP 71	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030884	BP 72	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030885	BP 73	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030886	BP 74	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030887	BP 75	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030888	BP 76	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030889	BP 77	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030890	BP 78	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030891	BP 79	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030892	BP 80	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030893	BP 81	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030894	BP 82	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030895	BP 83	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030896	BP 84	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030897	BP 85	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030898	BP 86	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030899	BP 87	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030900	BP 88	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030901	BP 89	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030902	BP 90	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030903	BP 91	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030904	BP 92	NMC1030853	ELKO

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NMC1030911	BP 99	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030912	BP 100	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1030914	BP 102	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030915	BP 103	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030916	BP 104	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030917	BP 105	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030918	BP 106	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1030924	BP 112	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030925	BP 113	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1030948	BP 136	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030949	BP 137	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030950	BP 138	NMC1030853	ELKO

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NMC1030951	BP 139	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1030958	BP 146	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030959	BP 147	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030960	BP 148	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030961	BP 149	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030962	BP 150	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030963	BP 151	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030964	BP 152	NMC1030853	ELKO and EUREKA
NMC1030965	BP 153	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030966	BP 154	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030967	BP 155	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030968	BP 156	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1030995	BP 183	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1030996	BP 184	NMC1030853	ELKO

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NMC1031001	BP 189	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1031002	BP 190	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1031003	BP 191	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1031004	BP 192	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1031006	BP 194	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1031008	BP 196	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1031011	BP 199	NMC1030853	ELKO
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NMC1031015	BP 203	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1031016	BP 204	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1031017	BP 205	NMC1030853	ELKO and EUREKA
NMC1031018	BP 206	NMC1030853	ELKO
NMC1031019	BP 207	NMC1030853	ELKO

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